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SUBJECT: DAILY ACTIVITIES REPORTS FROM THE PRINCIPALS
FOR WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1975

FROM MR. SISCO:

I HOSTED A LUNCH TODAY FOR THE NATO SECRETARY GENERAL,
CONGRESSMEN JOHN BUCHANAN AND LEO RYAN, AS WELL AS
ART HARTMAN, HAL SONNENFELDT, BOB MCLOSKEY AND BOB
ELSWORTH. WE DISCUSSED WITH LUNS BEST WAYS TO USE HIS
TIME IN WASHINGTON. MCCLOSKEY AND HARTMAN WILL BE WORK-
ING WITH BUCHANAN TO ARRANGE WITH CONGRESSMAN HAYES AN
INVITATION FOR LUNS TO MEET WITH KEY MEMBERS OF CONGRESS
WHOSE VOTES COULD BE CHANGED. WE WILL ALSO SEEK A MEET-

ING WITH THE LEADERSHIP AND THE WHIPS. I WAS IMPRESSED
BY LUNS' ACCOUNT OF THE STRONG SUPPORT OUR ALLIES HAVE
FOR THE SINAI AGREEMENT. LUNS IS ALSO CONVINCED THAT
OUR SUCCESS IN THE NEGOTIATIONS HAS REINFORCED THE
EUROPEAN LEFTS' GROWING SUSPICIONS OF THE SOVIETS.

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ILO DIRECTOR GENERAL BLANCHARD CALLED ON ME THIS AFTER-

NOON TO REVIEW HIS CONVERSATIONS WITH THE AFL-CIO AND MEMBERS OF CONGRESS ABOUT CONTINUED MAERICAN PARTICIPATION IN THE ILO.

DANISH AMBASSADOR BARTELS CALLED ON ME TO DISCUSS THE MIDDLE EAST. HE LEFT A MESSAGE FROM HIS FOREIGN MINISTER CONGRATULATING YOU FOR ACHIEVING THE INTERIM AGREEMENT BETWEEN EGYPT AND ISRAEL. I HAVE FORWARDED THE MESSAGE TO YOUR OFFICE.

I APPEARED BEFORE THE WEDNESDAY MORNING GROUP AT THE HOUSE, CHAIRED BY 'DOC' MORGAN, TO TALK ABOUT THE ARAB/ISRAELI AGREEMENT. OVER 100 CONGRESSMEN ATTENDED AND, WHILE THEIR QUESTIONS REFLECTED A BASIC CONCERN WITH THE AMERICAN PERSONNEL TO BE STATIONED IN THE SINAI AND THE AID COSTS IN THE AFTERMATH OF THE AGREEMENT, IT WAS CLEAR THAT THE LARGE MAJORITY OF THEM ARE IN FAVOR OF THE AGREEMENT.

FOLLOWING MY RETURN FROM THE HILL, I CONFERRED WITH ROY ATHERTON, BOB MCCLOSKEY, BOB OAKLEY AND MONROE LEIGH ON A NUMBER OF MATTERS WITH RESPECT TO THE MIDDLE EAST.

IN THE EVENING, I APPEARED ON THE MARTIN AGRONSKY PROGRAM. TOMORROW, I SHALL APPEAR ON THE TODAY SHOW AND TESTIFY BEFORE THE HOUSE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE ON THE EGYPTIAN-ISRAELI INTERIM AGREEMENT.

FROM UNDER SECRETARY ROBINSON

I BREAKFASTED WITH ZARB AND GREENSPAN THIS MORNING. I REVIEWED THE RUSSIAN GRAIN DEAL AND PARALLEL ARRANGEMENTS WITH THEM AND FOUND THAT THEY WERE IN FULL AGREEMENT WITH OUR PLAN OF ACTION.

I ATTENDED THE EPB WHERE WE DISCUSSED THE PROBLEM OF CAPITAL FORMATION AND INFLATION.

I MET WITH YOU AND HAL SONNENFELDT TO DISCUSS MY TRIP TO
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MOSCOW.

I HAD A MEETING WITH SECRETARY DUNLOP, SEIDMAN, LYNN AND GREENSPAN WHERE I REVIEWED ONCE AGAIN OUR STRATEGY FOR

THE RUSSIAN GRAIN NEGOTIATIONS. EVERYONE FULLY SUPPORTED THE LINE THAT WE PROPOSE TO TAKE AND I ANTICIPATE NO PROBLEMS AT LEAST AT THIS STAGE.

I LUNCHEd WITH PROFESSOR AND MRS. JOHN CONDLIFFE. PROFESSOR CONDLIFFE, AN OLD FRIEND, IS THE AUTHOR OF SEVERAL BOOKS ON ECONOMICS AND WAS HEAD OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA DURING MY YEARS AT THAT INSTITUTION.

I LEAVE THIS AFTERNOON AT 2:35 P.M. FOR MOSCOW.

FROM T - CARL MAW

VARIOUS CONVERSATIONS THROUGHOUT THE DAY ON LOS AND OES PERSONNEL MATTERS, INCLUDING DISCUSSIONS WITH TOM CLINGAN AND DAVID WALLACE CONCERNING CLINGAN'S OFFICE AFTER HE LEAVES THE END OF THIS WEEK.

TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH SENATOR INOUE REGARDING CONGRESSIONAL PRESENTATION OF SECURITY ASSISTANCE LEVELS. THE SENATOR INFORMED ME THAT HE AND CONGRESSMAN PASSMAN BOTH WISH A COMPLETE PACKAGE AND NOT A PIECEMEAL PRESENTATION AND URGED THAT IT BE FORTHCOMING AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. I HAVE SENT YOU A SEPARATE MEMORANDUM ON THIS CONVERSATION.

PREPARATIONS FOR MY TRIP NEXT WEEK TO NEW YORK TO MEET WITH GROUP OF FIVE DELEGATIONS (JAPAN, UNITED KINGDOM, FRANCE, SOVIET UNION AND UNITED STATES) ON LOS MATTERS.

TONIGHT I AM ATTENDING A DINNER GIVEN BY GENERAL FISH FOR GENERAL TOUFANIAN (IRAN).

FROM EAGLEBURGER

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I HAVE BEEN MEETING ALL DAY WITH THE PPG AS THE FINAL FORM OF THE FY 1977 BUDGET GOES DOWN TO THE WIRE.

THE PPG HAS CIRCULATED THROUGHOUT THE DEPARTMENT A REQUEST TO ALL PERSONNEL HANDLING FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PRIVACY ACT MATTERS TO MAINTAIN AND PROVIDE WORKLOAD AND COST DATA. IT IS OBVIOUS THAT THESE TWO PIECES OF LEGISLATION ARE BECOMING A SERIOUS BURDEN ON OUR RESOURCES AND WE NEED TO KNOW EXACT FIGURES.

I APPROVED THE CLASSIFICATION OF PORT MORESBY, PAPUA-NEW GUINEA AS A CLASS IV MISSION. I HAVE DEFERRED ACTION ON THE REOPENING OF THE CONSULATE IN BARRANQUILLA, COLOMBIA.

I HAVE DESIGNATED THE SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL DELEGATION

FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA AS "OFFICIAL GUESTS"
OF THE UNITED STATES. KISSINGER

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